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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed September 19, 2007 ("Office Action"), a four-month period for reply to which expires after January 22, 2008. Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time to expire after January 22, 2008. Applicants also respectfully request amendment of the application and its reconsideration based upon the amendments and the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

Conclusion begins on page 7 of this paper.

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